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Mr. Alexander F. Jones  
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Dear Casey,

On the weekend I was to take off for a fat stopover at Lake Placid, they pulled the rug from under my feet on an NSC paper here. Consequently instead of nesting under your upstate sun, I spent my time in a dungeon, making with top secrets and chasing concurrences. Kirkpatrick tells me he greatly enjoyed the formation and he likewise reports that your publishers seemed pleased with the presentation.

Liked the play Scripps-Howard here gave your piece on Tass. And speaking of pieces, I was delighted to read your editorial on [REDACTED]

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But they must be boycotting Casey here; no hotel has as yet hung out its sign.

Sincerely,

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